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THE ROOT AND THE FLOWER—Mr. Wolf

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FRIDAY DEC 7, 1877.

MINISTER JOHN WELSH sailed to England on Saturday

GEN HARTRANFT has been confirmed and will take his seat on the Supreme Bench of the United States next Monday

THE Shippensburg *Chronicle* proposes Hon Levi Maish for Governor, the Carlisle *Sentinel* names Hon James H Hopkins and the Fulton *Democrat* Hon Wm S Stenger. Good men all

THERE will be no trouble after the 4th of March, 1879 when Democrats will be seated in places of Spencer, Dorsey, Conover Patterson, Sargent and Matthews. On that date the Senate will be Democratic by at least ten majority

THE fight against the President grows more and more fierce. His home Republican allies in the Senate have almost to a man turned against him and even Patterson has raised hand and voice in deadly opposition

THE Columbus (Miss) *Democrat* says The late election demonstrates the pleasing fact that the negroes of Mississippi have about retired from politics In very few counties did their vote influence the result of the election This retirement has been voluntary, they have assert, in some of our enemies in the North that violence and intimidation were used, he "

THE Republican senators do not seem to meet with much sympathy in any quarter Even a paper so thoroughly partisan as the New York *Tribune* remarks It might look like a death bed repentance if Republican senators should now for the first time decide the question of a contested seat solely upon an honest investigation of the law and the facts of the case "

GENERAL HOWARD, in his little speech at Portland, Oregon, summed up our Indian policy by saying that we recognize Indian tribes as independent nations by making treaties with them, and then, after placing them on reservations, swindle them until the white settlers, desiring the Indians, home, drive them into revolt Then we begin a new Indian campaign and keep it up until we subdue them There is truth in what General Howard says

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Mr Patterson designated President Hayes as "that man we put in the White House," and "that man at the other end of the avenue" This portion of his remarks created very great sensation, particularly when he accused Mr Hayes of betraying his party and of protecting murderers in the South He said he was a thief he was ready to go to the penitentiary, but he wanted the opportunity to defend himself before a tribunal which the action of the President had rendered impossible He criticized the action of the President in putting two men in his cabinet (Levitt and Schurz) who had only four years before voted and worked against the Republican candidate for President, and called who had been the Key to lock all the postoffices in the South against Republicans Mr. Patterson continued for some time in this strain

There was an interesting passage between Mr Bayard and Mr Hoar relative to the remark of the latter on Monday that Southern Democrats had always profited by outrage in the South, and that they had never been denounced by any Southern Democrat except Beverly Johnson Mr. Bayard indignantly denied the charge, and showed from the record that Mr Hoar was mistaken and utterly misunderstood his political foes

The night session was also occupied by speeches with the understanding that a vote would be taken at 1 30 A M

At the time named the resolution to seat Kellogg came up and was agreed to—yeas 40, nays 29 Conover and Patterson voting for Kellogg, Mr. Davis voted with the Democrats against him

On Mr Butler's case Davis did not vote but Conover and Patterson voted for him, and he also was admitted Butler and Kellogg were sworn in at 2 A M

The committee has reported in favor of Mr Lastes of Louisiana and he will be admitted before many days, adding another to the Democratic column

A STARTLING PROJECT —The New York *Herald* several days ago published an account of an interview said to have been had by a reporter with Governor Tilden as he was walking up Broadway the main point of interest in which was a declaration that Tilden said that he intended to prosecute his claim to the presidency to which he was legally elected How he proposed to do this he did not say The reported interview has generally been believed to be bogus as it was in the highest degree improbable that so reticent and prudent a man as Mr Tilden would permit a newspaper reporter to button-hole him on Broadway and draw from him so free an expression of his thoughts as he is said to have made, only deserting when a crowd of five hundred gathered around him No doubt this interview was wholly imaginary, but it is somewhat curious that the project which is expressed in it of a contest for the presidency by Mr Tilden should now seem to be the most possible thing of the future The rumor that it is in contemplation is widely spread and the mode by which it is to be accomplished is told Republican disaffection with Hayes it is stated by some is to aid the Democrats in the Senate in getting a declaration from that body similar to the one passed in the last House of Representatives—namely that Tilden was elected, such declaration to be followed by his immediate recognition as president by both houses of Congress These Republicans however who have so suddenly developed an immense hatred of Patterson and Conover, charge that they have been bought to help through the Democratic programme of installation However the event is to come, certainly its coming is possible. Nobody can suppose that it will ever spring from the patriotism and sense of justice of Republican senators It it comes it must be from the humiliant extraction by Providence of good results from evil motives—*The Intel*

IT is probable that the seating of Kellogg as senator from Louisiana is only the first chapter in the long story of a contest which will occupy the senate of the United States in the future The decision just made by a majority of the senate is only upon the question of the regularity of credentials by a partisan vote the senate has decided that on the face of Mr Kellogg's credentials he is entitled to the seat and that his opponent Judge Spofford, did not present such credentials as entitled him to represent the state of Louisiana in the senate The merits of the case have not been inquired into at all and we take it that neither Judge Spofford nor the people of Louisiana will permit the matter to end here The seating of Kellogg is an outrage upon the well of the people of Louisiana only inferior in wickedness to the crimes of the returning board The time is not far distant when the Spenceres, the Dorseys the Sargents the Pattersons and the Conovers will no longer be present in the senate to help on the Conklings and Howes and Edmundses with their intrigues for the overthrow of the popular will We hope yet to see Judge Spofford occupy the seat now fraudulently held by Kellogg and the grievous wrong perpetrated upon Louisiana and the whole country in its slight as far as may be—*Press*

A SINGLE negro has come to his death by the hands of a white man since the advent of the Hampton administration, and on the strength of it the bloody shirt shrieks mount in full blast for a renewal of the Federal troops to that State In the meantime, as the Philadelphia *Times* says we have had fearful riots in three or four of the Northern States hundreds of men persecuted property was destroyed to the amount of millions and in addition to this there have been at least a score of murders in Pennsylvania alone since Hampton's inauguration We mention these facts not for the purpose of disparaging our own State, but simply to show how eager the Republican politicians are to impress the public with the idea that there is anarchy in the South, and that a negro is being made the subject of barbarous and outrage But the day for bamboozling the people in that direction has passed The voice of the bloody shirter is muzzled

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Local Matters.

TOWN COUNTY AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES

LOCAL TAXES — The County Institute is now in progress

PROF DELONGEN is Director, John W Eichelberger president and Luther M Buehler treasurer of the "DeLongen Orchestra" Delightful music at the Institute every evening

LAST week —seven days—172 tramps were fed at the Adams County Alms house — Forty large loaves of bread were baked every day except Sunday Twenty tramps will eat about seven loaves at a meal

DIPHTHERIA of a malignant form is prevailing about Bonneauville and White Hall Also at Fayetteville

REV W F COTTERMAN and Rev Mr Miller had union Thanksgiving services at New Oxford

ALL about our silver coins on fourth page

THE "mosquito rule" prevailed on Thanksgiving afternoon on account larger than usual The street corners were crowded with people, and the juvenile population turned out in unusual high state of excitement, supplying any quantity of chaff

MR PETER THOMAS has our thanks for a reasonable present—a lot of excellent oysters, well bleached and crisp

IN the York market applebutter selling at 20 cents and scarcely at 15 cents a quart turkeys 9 and 10 cents a pound

THE State Council of the order of Red Men will meet in Gettysburg next May

THE entertainment by the St James Lutheran Sabbath School, in Agricultural Hall, on Thanksgiving night, drew a full house and gave a high measure of satisfaction

THE Weaver store building, across the way is going up It promises to stand some improvement

JAMES M ANDERSON Esq, died in Harrisburg on the 19th ult in his 61st year

THE new Lutheran church at the Two Taverns was dedicated Sunday week large assemblage and liberal collection

MRS Amelia Hartley, of Baltimore, on a visit to her brother William Davis at Abbottstown fell in the yard and fractured her arm on Friday week

C I Myers, of Baltimore, accompanied by J O Myers and Charles Anthony, of Bethlehem killed 13 partridges 9 pheasants and 3 rabbits on the 26th instant

A MAN in a sulky is said to have come near drowning in Rock Run during the high water of Saturday week

NOAH H BECKER New Oxford recently fell from a tall tree and broke his right arm

AN arbitration has awarded Rev S Sprinkling, at Hanover $1100 back salary

"MIND Reading" Very clever—but not so sure about the mind part

ANOTHER successful attempt was last week made to break into the residence of Charles Diehl, near New Oxford

THE Mendelssohn Quintette Club of Boston will give a Concert at York on the 10th of December The distinguished vocalist, Miss Lilla Lewis, will assist

A FURNACE in Wm Weigle in Huntington township measures 25 inches in circumference

ON Thursday week, Mr Daniel Gates chair maker of Huntington township, received a fright of cut in the arm by a circular saw in rapid motion Dr Pearson attended to the wound and it is doing well

A BROKEN STOCK resulted from a sheigh fight at York Springs

CARDS printed in the most stylish at this office

We need no any—no more word

SUIT —R A Fickinger has brought to the courts of land belonging to A I Gott in Cumberland county, at $55 and 81 per acre

A SECOND attempt has been made to fire the residence of S A Paine, in Carlisle

SUICIDE —Mr William Klopper of Hanover, died Sat $25 which of course went to Carlisle market on morning of week

PIRATES have of Jersey Shore Pa killed three bear last week The latter killed a deer was shot in the South Mountain and sold in Gettysburg a few days ago

JUDGE MCCLAIN is sick in the Common Pleas at Carlisle last week and part of this

THE Adjourned Common Pleas Court will begin next Monday and continue two weeks Many of our subscribers and others indicted to us for active doing, and printing, will be in town and we hope they will not neglect the opportunity to support and settle in respective amounts Those who are not coming, themselves may send representatives pay and others in attendance free every section of the county We have many accounts of long standing that should have collected before, and to his notice their especial attention is called Such account if unchanged the full amount of their indebtedness may pay a portion their debts taking a receipt for the balance and helping us in our business which can not be carried on successfully without the cash Friends it at us every a would be treated

A CONCERT with Dr Lange's Orchestra is announced for the 18th instant The programme has not yet appeared but it is safe to predict and expect a rare musical treat He ball ought to be full to overflowing

BURGLARIOUS —On Sunday night, the 24th ult, a party of men broke into the Chestnut Grove School house, in Huntington township, (Mr D P Duke teacher) and did considerable damage to the building and the children's books

THANKSGIVING day was characterized by a general suspension of business around — The union services in the Methodist church were well attended Rev Dr Brown preached the sermon, and Rev Dr Stock Rev Jamison Demarest and Clippinger also had part in the services

THE Times Creek Union Relief of the Church of God, four miles from Fairstown, (Formerly the Mehring school house grove) will be dedicated on Sunday the 16th inst, at 10 o'clock, A M Rev C H Fahrney, of Harrisburg, and other prominent ministers will be present

A MEETING to organize a Building Association has been held at Abbottstown—Joseph Wolf, President George Wolf, John Fowler and Dr William Hollinger, Vice Presidents, and George C Myers, Secretary A charter is to be procured shares $125, and weekly payments 25 cents

FALL AND FRACTURE —On Monday last Calvin, aged about 14 years, son of Mr Cornelius Fair residing on the Witherspoon farm in Freedom township, fell from a load of corn-fodder and broke his left leg and dislocated the ankle joint Dr O'Neal gave the case the necessary surgical attention

ARREST —On Monday night Constable George W Myers of this place, arrested William P Howard, at Boiling Springs, Cumberland county, upon nine warrants charging him with making false and fraudulent promissory notes and leases, while acting as an agent of the Howe Sewing Machine Company in Adams county Justice Wolf committed him for court

MONEY damage by high water last week is reported Hangs's saw mill dam, near the head of Little Marsh creek was broken, and the clearly strong current thus reinforced swept down in such volume as to carry away a part of Nagy's dam Both have been nearly or quite repaired the line weather since affording a favorable opportunity for so doing The roads in this locality are reported as badly washed as to be almost impassable, at the prompt and of the supervisors is invited

BOLD THIEVERY IN DAYLIGHT —The collar of Mr Daniel F Edmund, on West High street, was on Thursday forenoon entered through a window in the alley and a lot of sausage and pudding (two jars of pork and fish, &c, were stolen Mr Edmund assures us that several of the articles had been placed in the cellar only a few hours before

— John Drawery, a colored boy was arrested by Detective Bonner on Wednesday afternoon and admitted part of the stealing

SEND for Eckert's Musical Catalogue tf

DIRECTORS OF THE POOR —Mr John Bobbitt, elected Director of the Poor in November, entered upon the office on Monday last The board now consists of Messrs Joseph Gelbach, Samuel Orndorff and John Bobbitt the first-named being President. Mr George Gamse, the outgoing Director, discharged the trust with the utmost fidelity, and we are sure the same may be expected of the new incumbent

The old officers were re-appointed, viz Steward, John Scheller, Clerk, Henry A Picking, Esq, Treasurer Edward Menchey, Counsel, J G Stoly Esq, Physician, Dr William H O'Neal

EDWARD S REILY, Esq District Attorney elect entertained a number of gentlemen at John Gruel's on Friday evening The occasion was one of the pleasant, and served in various ways as an hour long to Grief's best knowledge of the sub, (and that's as high as anybody need know) whilst the table was graced with tempting and other fruits cake, &c in bountiful profusion Mr Reily and every guest left at home and sound of mind and wishes that all were as happily and pleasantly served The entertainment was in no surprised at

"OBSERVATORY —There is talk of the creation of an Observatory in this field opposite the Cemetery on the hopes that it will be realized with as much delay The situation is elevated, and a building forty or fifty feet high would afford a view of many miles in all directions, covering the entire field known as battle ground Certainly the grand picture to be enjoyed would repay, over and over a charge necessary for a fund to cover the cost and care of the structure

George Arnold Esq, the active worker in the Memorial Association, is canvassing the matter, and his engaging energy is relied on to carry it through

SUDDEN DEATH —Mr Harry Chronister engaged as an assistant at the Keystone Mills three miles west of this place, died very suddenly on Monday Several hogs had been slaughtered at the mills, and he went with two other persons to Henry Harbold to take a pair of them The hogs were of good many weight After he had helped to carry them into the house he was observed to stagger, and only prevented from falling by Mr Harbold quickly catching hold of him In a few minutes life was gone. Dr Wierman pronounced the cause some derangement of the heart

Harry Chronister was aged 16 years 1 month and 13 days He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his death

In the Consolidated Coal Reports of the Pennsylvania State Board of Agriculture for November 1877, we find the following figures in reference to Adams county 100 being considered an average crop Wheat 120, rye 110, oats 120, hay 100, corn 75 potatoes 75 garden products 75 apples 10 peaches 75 pears 90, cherries 50, grapes 90 and berries 100

We understand that the above are the average of estimates made by our reporters in Adams county Some of them must have been very high as to certain items—apples peaches, pears, corn and potatoes in particular

DR CHARLES E HOMRICH died at his residence in Mechanicsburg on the 29th ult of a complicated ailment, the heart and stomach being mainly affected, resulting from exposure in unremitting attention to his professional business Deceased had not only his name in a physician, but a citizen is well Liberal and kind hearted, and thoroughly upright, he won universal respect and his death is sincerely regretted He was aged 38 years

A Adjourned Reunion Meeting was held at York Springs on the 29th ult, A K Myers in the Chair and H G Peters Secretary The committee on the sale of bands reported that they had not yet been able to dispose of the required amount, $9 000 — The report seemed satisfactory, and on motion of Col Wolford the committee was enlarged by the addition of Dr J H Marsden L W Hickok S L Bottorff George I Dombroff A S Hartman, Conrad Brown, and C W Portman The committee is expected to push the work and report to another meeting on the 8th of December

Dr Marsden and Col Wolford made addresses urging the people to take bonds with a guaranteed interest of 7 per cent It is hoped that by the next meeting our long talked of and much neglected enterprise will be on a fair way to completion as regards the necessary funds A LOOKER ON

THE Lewis Pribnow says, "The late notes phoretic Toothpaste" has brought so many cases of Coughs and Colds, and Dr Bull's Cough Syrup is in greater demand than ever It

THE members of Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian church visited their pastor with a Thanksgiving donation Provisions of all kinds, silver and greenbacks made up their liberality

For these material gifts the donors have the thanks of their pastor and his family, and for the kind feeling and interest of which they are the generous expressions, they are assured of a continued return Our time and labor shall always be to impart to you some spiritual gift to the end that you may be established in faith in Him who gave himself for us" W S V

FOR elegant Christmas Presents go to Uncow Mystic Watch and Jewelry Store, on Baltimore street Hunsecker at a large and very fine, and prices very low You can be as well recommended at his place as in the city, with half your money saved — Before making up your mind about Christmas Presents go to Hunsecker and inspect his stock Dec 7 tf

FRENCH and Japanese Gloves, Handkerchief and Jewel Boxes cheap at Huber's Drug and Book Store Dec 7 tf

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE — A row of eight two-story brick houses in Mechanicsburg, Cumberland county, were destroyed by fire at an early hour on Saturday morning Lost $10,000, insurance $5,000 Supposed to have been incendiary

DEAD CHILD FOUND —Last Sunday morning, the body of a new born male child was found beside Pine Run, on Mr Bernard Noll's farm, in Mountjoy township, Adams county Squire J L Smith was sent for and summoned a jury, who investigated the case, and decided that the child had floated down the stream to the place it was found Near by, on a bank along the creek, was found a little skirt, evidently torn from the child by the force of the high water The body was buried where it was found — Herald

AN unpleasant passenger in a street car is a crying baby In such cases Dr Bull's Baby Syrup should be given to the little sufferer to ease its troubles 25 cents a bottle

A VALUABLE GIFT —A copy of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, price $12 is presented to every person sending only fifteen subscribers to the AMERICAN STOCK JOURNAL at 25 each Valuable Premiums for clubs of two and three subscribers The American Stock Journal is a twenty four page monthly, devoted to Stock and Poultry Breeding, Dairying Wool Growing, Bee Keeping, Farming, and containing information that may be worth many times its small cost A Veterinary Department answers free all questions concerning diseased stock A Household Department furnishes valuable recipes and advice to the Ladies Boys and Girls will find a good Short Story each month All new subscribers now will receive the October, November and December numbers of 1877 free Subscription price only one dollar a year Sample copy, Premium List and Show Bill free to all who will use them — Address Potts Brothers, Parkesburg, Chester Co, Pa

ADAMS CO TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

— BY OUR OWN REPORTER —

Pursuant to a call of the County Superintendent the Twenty third Annual Institute convened in the Courthouse at 2 P M, on Monday, and was opened with prayer by Rev John Jamison

The President, Capt J P McCreary, delivered a brief address of welcome and declared the meeting opened

After roll call the following committee on organization was announced Miss Thos D McCreary, John P Kime, A H Parr and Misses M C Thompson and Alice Scott, who reported for President Capt J P McCreary Vice President, H H Spence, Secretary, Calvin P Hamilton, Assistant Secretaries, Misses Alice Wantz and Lizzie Rice Report adopted

Messrs Conrad Hildebrand, H H Spence David Curren, and Misses Lizzie Latchman Alice Bonner Lillie Pfoutz H M Hartley Jennie Myers, Lizzie M Tyson and Alice C Powers were constituted a music committee

C Sage Shively asked the earnest and hearty co operation of the teachers in his endeavors to make this meeting one at much interest and enjoyment and gave a good idea of the work's work

On motion the membership fee was fixed at 75 cents, which includes a copy of the Institute pamphlet and the Music Supplement

The following gentlemen were named as committee for the evening entertainment David A Reese John H Brown E C Stock J S McIlhaney H G Comfort, W H Fleming, J W Indian A H Stock J H Kuhn and F H Cress

Evening Session —At exactly hour we were flocked to the Court house, and in the pending hour the room was filled to its utmost capacity

Prof DeLongen's Orchestra played and introduced the entertainment with excellent music

The Editorial, J Ruth Hill Brown, the Model Reader, was announced, and at his request a committee of prominent citizens were seated in order that they might see that his experiments were fairly performed In a few introductory remarks he disclaimed any knowledge of the power under which he operated, but stated it was mental phenomena The first test was that of finding concealed articles The speaker left the room accompanied by a member of the committee During his absence a chair was placed in the left side of a gallery seating in the centre aisle The Prof returned blindfolded and giving left hands with the gentleman who had hidden the articles directly in the think intently of the object and he then proceeded with unmistakable precision Afterwards marched up and down the aisle at speed and in a few minutes produced the articles Equally strange were the results of his finding an object through the hands of several persons finding a lady of whom his companion was thinking and discovering the number of a watch Perhaps his most remarkable exhibition was what he called "mental mirror reading" Long, blindfolded, as in all cases, he passed through the audience with a pencil in one hand, thoughts were fixed on the features of a person in the audience Down, to the large crowd the experiment took some little while, but at last, unaccompanied by and out of sight of the gentleman he succeeded in finding the face The committee paid close attention but could detect nothing Prof Brown displayed a very clever exposure of a number of the tricks of spiritualism such as the rope untying the knot and communicating with his seed friends The entertainment was full of wonderful and though long, kept the undivided attention of the large audience

TUESDAY —Morning Session —Devotional exercises by Rev W A Clippinger Music "How Gentle God's Command" Miss Fanny Cushman presiding at the organ

Mr Shively urged upon teachers the importance of taking full notes of what is assigned and done so as to have them for future use and reference

Prof I P Landry of New York, was introduced and occupied a half hour on School Hygiene, offering many good suggestions on physical training

Prof Angell, who fills the appointment of Prof Hoss, of Cumberland Valley State Normal School, spoke on school manners

After recess Miss Hogan of Cumberland Valley Normal School, took up the subject of Free Hand Drawing, dwelling on its importance in the proper culture of the mind, full mind and illustrating her remarks with figures on the board

Miss Patridge, of Philadelphia, was introduced and opened her work's work with an appeal for physical training She spoke of the evil effects arising from its want and took the position that the proper training of the body is equally important with the mind and soul

Afternoon Session —After minute Mr J Contz Hildebrand of the committee on Permanent Certificates reported that at a meeting held to day Mr Thos D McCreary and Miss Alice Scott, who had applied for certificates and that after examination the committee present the applications for approval

At the request of the chairman of the music committee the following names were added to that committee Messrs J H Greene Jas Kinnamond, Wm Fisher, I C Stoll, C I H Grammer and Misses Flora Hartzell Ida Shenck and Mary Kendlehart

The referred question, "Can teaching be reduced to a science?" was discussed affirmatively by J C Hildebrand and J P Kime

Miss Hogan continued the subject of drawing Herbert's practical

Miss Mary Monfort read a well prepared essay on "Literary Culture in our Common Schools"

After recess and music Prof Angell continued the subject of manners at school

Prof Landry closed the session with the subject of arithmetic, using the blackboard

Evening Session —Miss Patridge, the lecturer for

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A Card.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, premature decay, lost manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure them free of charge. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, Bible House, New York. Oct 18, 1877. ly

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May 3, 1877. ly

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Jan. 15, 1875. tf

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Jurors for Adjourned Court.

DECEMBER 10, 1877.

Menallen—Lewis Klank, Levi Lawver, Peter Leach, Jacob Alto, L. N. A. Feeney, Philip Gingle.

Latimore—B. A. Colehouse, L. S. Middlekauff, Emanuel Baker.

Germany—Jacob Troxel, W. E. Naylor, S. M. Marshall, Henry McDannell, Anton Sharrer, R. Kendlebart, Henry Colbert.

Mount Pleasant—Wm. S. Carl, Geo. W. Wolfert, A. Wright.

Franklin—Allen J. Grammer, Alex. Bucher, Samuel Long.

Cumberland—Enos Lott, Sr., Geo. Beshore.

Conewago—Levi Kindig, Adam S. Keller, Joseph A. Heagy.

Oxford—Wm. King.

Straban—Martin S. Witmer, Jeremiah Hollinger.

Huntington—James R. Norris.

Hamilton—Jacob Musselman, J. Upton Negley.

York Springs—H. C. Peters, Isaac W. Troxell.

Germany—James King, J. C. Stavely, Edward Kuhn.

Latimore—John Cox, Sr.

Freedom—John B. Brown.

Berwick—Henry Kohler.

DECEMBER 17, 1877.

Gettysburg—Daniel Cushman, R. A. Myers, John Culp, sen., Calvin P. Culp, Solomon Forney.

Reading—Aaron Kaufman, Francis A. Gendorff, Samuel H. Tschudy, Benjamin Herbaugh, Jacob Plank.

Mount Pleasant—Israel Snider.

Cumberland—John Lichtelz, Joseph Lodwick, Peter Weikert.

Union—Martin Grove.

Hamiltonban—James R. Marshall, Geo. Pitzer.

Latimore—David Lenhart, Daniel W. Harbold.

Menallen—Josiah Warersham, John Barkholder, Henry Weigle, Frank Leide.

Hamilton—John Hartt, Wm. J. Metzler.

Freedom—F. M. Wantland, John Weikert.

Butler—Jeremiah W. Diehl, David Post, H. Spangler, John Stamour.

Liberty—E. Lady.

Franklin—Isaiah Wolfe, Geo. L. H. Gilbert.

Germany—Barnabas Snively, Geo. B. Myers.

Hunting—John Krauss.

Mount Joy—Abe Wolf, Henry Berner.

Oxford—Jacob Smith, John Schick.

Tyrone—Jacob Funk. Nov. 26, 1877. 4t

School Tax Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of CUMBERLAND TOWNSHIP, that the Duplicate for Cumberland School District has been placed in the hands of the undersigned, as Receiver of said Tax, on all taxes paid on or before *the first day of January next*, on which a DISCOUNT OF FIVE PER CENT will be allowed, after which time it will be an unpaid tax. On all taxes not paid on or before *the 1st day of February, 1878*, five per cent. will be added to collection fees.

☞ The Receiver will attend at A. C. Sheely's Store, in Middletown, on Saturday of every week until Jan. 1, from 1 to 4 o'clock P. M., to receive taxes.

By order of the Board.

DANIEL WALTER, Nov. 1, 1877. 6t Receiver.

School Tax Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of BERWICK TOWNSHIP, that the Duplicate for Butler School District has been placed in the hands of the undersigned, as Receiver of said Tax, on all taxes paid on or before *the first day of January next*, on which a DISCOUNT OF FIVE PER CENT will be allowed, after which time it will be an unpaid tax. On all taxes not paid on or before *the 1st day of February, 1878*, five per cent. will be added to collection fees.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT HARNER, of Germany township, Adams county, Pa., by deed of voluntary assignment, has assigned his estate to the undersigned, residing in the same township, for the benefit of creditors. And all the Assignor's property is now in the property and within his account as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of his creditors. All persons indebted to said Assignor are hereby requested to make payment immediately, and those indebted to make payment immediately.

JAMES N. KELLY, Nov. 9, 1877. 6t Assignee.

Administrator's Notice.

LYDIA FEARSES' ESTATE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Lydia Fearse, late of Germany township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in Menallen township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

NICHOLAS BELZEL, Nov. 23, 1877. 6t Administrator.

JOHN W. TIPTON, BARBER AND HAIR DRESSER,

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Gate Tipton's—Gate Tipton's—

If you want your hair dressed nicely—

If you want your beard shaved (smoothly)—

Tip's the fellow that can do it—

Dell in the latest fashion—

Go to quick and do it neatly

Jan. 29, 1877

NOTICE.

THE first account of DANIEL SCALLSTON, Testamentary Trustee of PETER TROSTLE, for the will of Peter Trostle, Sr., deceased, now filed in the Orphans Court of Adams Co., Pa., and will be confirmed absolutely on MONDAY, the 17th day of December, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

ABRAHAM KING, Nov. 23, 1877. Clerk O. C.

Gettysburg Compiler,

THE MESSAGE.—The first annual message of President Hayes was sent to Congress on Monday. His views were anticipated, and the reading made no impression in either house.

The President congratulates Congress that upon the beginning of its regular session they find the country blessed with health, peace and abundant harvests, and with encouraging prospects of general prosperity. He maintains the permanent prosperity of the country should be the earnest purpose of good citizens generally. This spirit found expression in resolutions of the National Conventions of both political parties in 1876. He refers further to his inaugural address, as to his views on this subject.

The measures adopted by his administration had been subjected to severe and varied criticism, but were, in his judgment, necessary to attain the end in view.

After discussing at length the necessity of troops in emergency and their withdrawal afterward, he says there has been a general re-establishment of order and instances of remaining lawlessness have become of rare occurrence. It is, however, his fixed, unalterable determination to protect, by all proper constitutional means, the enunciated race in the enjoyment of similar rights and privileges, and he urges upon their former owners the wisdom of liberal legislation with respect to their (the bondsmen's) education.

He regards the policy and measures which are designed to secure the restoration of the currency to a condition in which, by the resumption of specie payment, our internal trade and foreign commerce may be brought into harmony, of pre-eminent importance. He urges that the policy of resumption should be pursued by every suitable means, and that no legislation would be wise that should disparage the importance or retard the attainment of that result. He adheres to his earnest conviction that any wavering in purpose or unsteadiness in methods, so far from avoiding or reducing the inconvenience inseparable from the transition from an irredeemable to a redeemable paper currency, would only tend to an increased and prolonged disturbance in values, and, unless retrieved, must end in serious disorder and disaster in the financial affairs of the Government and of the people. The mischiefs which he apprehends and urgently deprecates are confined to no class of the people. Indeed, but seem to him most certainly to threaten the industrial masses, whether their occupations are of skilled or common labor. The right of Congress to "coin money and regulate the value thereof" is undoubted. It holds to the opinion that neither the Government nor the people would be prostrated by disparaging silver as one of the precious metals which furnish the coinage of the world, but still considers cautious legislation in this respect of great importance.

He favors the refunding of the public indebtedness as the only way in which the country can be relieved from the payment of the present high rates of interest.

He recommends to Congress that in providing for a silver coinage and importing to it the quality of legal tender, there be impressed upon the coinage a form provision exempting the public debt heretofore issued and now outstanding from payment, either of principal or interest, in any coinage of less commercial value than the present gold coinage of the country.

In speaking about civil service, he says its blemishes and imperfections may be traced, in most cases, to a practical confusion of the duties assigned to the several departments of the Government. He believes in making all nominations dispensional in the sense of being free from mere caprice or favor in the selection; and believes such a rule as to the tenure of office should obtain as may induce men of proper qualifications to apply themselves industriously to the task of becoming proficient, and consequently he has endeavored to reduce the number of changes in subordinate places usually made upon the change of the general administration. He urges upon Congress a further revision of civil service rules, and asks that a suitable appropriation be made to be immediately available to enable the commission to organize its labors.

Peaceful relations have been maintained with all foreign powers, and the outbreak of war between Russia and Turkey has had no tendency to disturb our amicable relations with the two contending parties.

The President fully discusses the Mexican question, and states that, owing to the occurrences on the Rio Grande borders, official recognition of the new government has been deferred. He does not anticipate any interruption of friendly relations with Mexico, but looks with some solicitude upon a continuance of these border disorders.

On the Cuba question the President says that the United States have scrupulously abstained from any intervention in the contest going on between Cuba and the Spanish Government, yet it is impossible not to feel that it is attended with incidents affecting the rights and interests of American citizens.

The President says that by the substitution of a tax on tea and coffee all forms of internal taxation might be repealed except that on whiskey, spirits, tobacco and beer. Attention is also called to the necessity of enacting more vigorous laws for the protection of the revenue and for the punishment of frauds and smuggling. This can best be done by judicious provisions that will induce the disclosure of attempted fraud by undervaluation and smuggling. All revenue laws should be simple in their provisions and easily understood so far as practicable. The rates of taxation should be in the form of specific duties, and not ad valorem, requiring the judgment of experienced men to ascertain values and exposing the revenue to the temptation of fraud.

The report of the Secretary of War shows that the army now been actively employed during the year, and has rendered important service in the Indian country, and protecting life and property in the interior, during the very serious riots of last summer.

The President recommends in view of the troubles on the Mexico Grande border, the recruiting of all companies of infantry to at least fifty men, and of artillery to seventy-five men, with power to a further increase in case of emergency.

An increase of Judges of the U. S. Circuit Courts, or of the creation of intermediate courts of error, is recommended, in order to relieve the supreme and certain circuit courts of too great a pressure of business.

On the Indian question the President says the faithful performance of our promises is the first condition of a good understanding with the Indians, and he strongly urges Congress to make prompt and liberal provision for the conscientious fulfillment of all engagements by the government with them.

After calling attention to the Government timber lands and the report of the joint commission for the completion of the Washington monument, the President concludes his message by saying that the ultimate settlement of all questions of the future, whether of administration or finance, or of true nationality of sentiment, depends upon the virtue and intelligence of the people. It is vain to hope for the success of a free government without the means of insuring the intelligence of those who are the source of power.

The message is an improvement on Grant's.

THE Louisville *Courier-Journal* denies a story that has gained considerable circulation within the past few weeks, that Senator Withers, of Virginia, had a daughter named Virginia Secessia, so called because she was born on the day that Virginia seceded from the Union, and says: "She exists only in the imagination of Republican editors, and heretofore has only been used in the heat of political campaigns to stir the intelligent North."

JOHN HICKSON, of Cincinnati, made up his mind that he did not wish to live to be more than eighty years old. As he approached his eightieth birthday he found that he was not likely to die a natural death within the allotted time, for his health was good. So he prepared for suicide, settling up his business and making a will. On the day he was eighty years old he jumped into a river and was drowned.

DISTRESSING INCIDENT OF THE FLOOD.—The most distressing occurrence on this part of the James river was the drowning of fourteen or fifteen Israel people, who resided at Slidmore's Ferry, viz: Henry Mray and his wife and seven children, his wife's sister and children, and two children of another sister. About two o'clock on Saturday Henry May took all his large family on in a ferryboat, of which he soon lost control, when it went over the dam at Tyree's lock, and all were drowned except Mary, who lodged on a tree below.—*Lexington (Va.) Gazette.*

AT Montgomery, Alabama, on Sunday morning, the bodies of Antonio Nicerost and Miss Amelia Sharp were found in the cemetery, a pistol ball hole in each head. They went out to walk on Saturday afternoon, when the deed is supposed to have been done. They loved each other, and a note from Nicerost indicates they were willing to die together. The ball entered Miss Sharp's head above the left eye. It is supposed Nicerost shot her and then put the pistol to his left ear and fired into his own head. They were both dead when found and appeared to have been so for many hours.

DOUBLE MURDER.—Two years ago Lyman Blackman, a farmer, living near Beaningham, Mich., deeded his farm to his son Henry, on the condition that the latter should support his parents and sister. He failing to do this, his father started for Pontiac on Saturday to get the necessary papers for revoking the deed. During his absence Henry quarreled with his mother and sister, which resulted in his shooting and killing them both, after which he set fire to the house and barn. The murderer is now in jail at Pontiac.

MR. AND MRS. B. WARD, of Allentown, Pa., have been married a little over ten years and have been blessed with eight children, all born on the fourth of July the first one in 1869, the second in 1871, and the remaining six on each succeeding Independence day up to 1877.

A NEGRO named McGhee attempted to outrage Miss Templeton, a daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman, of Columbia, Tenn., last week. He was indentified by the young lady, and taken to jail. He was afterwards taken from the jail and lynched.

A DISPATCH from Bagot says that details of the Turkish losses in the fighting at Metelitsa on the 28th ult. show that the Russians collected 2,500 Turkish corpses.

SENATOR WITHERS of Virginia has ten unmarried daughters.

A VALUABLE MEDICAL TREATISE.—The edition for 1878 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States and British America, and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere. It contains, with the soundest practical advice for the preservation and restoration of health, a large amount of interesting and amusing lighter reading, and the ordinary astronomical calculations, chronology of events, &c., prepared with great care, and will be found entirely accurate. The issue of Hostetter's Almanac for 1878, in the English, German, French, Welsh, Norwegian, Swedish, Dutch, Bohemian and Spanish languages, will in all probability be the largest edition of a medical work ever published in any country. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburg, Pa., will forward a 1-cent postage stamp will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood. Dec. 7. 1m

MARKET REPORTS.

GETTYSBURG,

Corrected by W. A. Sowder.

Flour	6 00
Rye Flour	2 50
Red Wheat	1 50
Corn	70
New Corn	55
Rye	60
Oats	28
Hay	6 00
Flax-seed	1 25
Timothy-seed	1 25
Clover-seed	6 00
Buckwheat	55
Pork	6 00

BALTIMORE.

Flour	6 00 @	6 50
Wheat—Red	1 40 @	1 49
Rye	70 @	1 00
Corn	55 @	61
Oats	30 @	36
Hogs Ft bound, dead	5 25 @	6 25
Beef Cattle ⅌ lound, live	3 00 @	4 00
Hay	16 00 @	18 00

MARRIED.

On the 20th inst., at the Pastoral Residence of St. Francis Xavier's Church, by the Rev. A. A. Lambing, LL. D., Mr. JOHN M. GARLAND, of Gettysburg, and Miss VINA C. WEIRICK, of Gettysburg.

The happy pair did not forget "the principle" and they have our thanks and congratulations. May they have a long life of health and prosperity, and may they realize all of happiness ever lighten their pathway. And what more could we wish them here below?

At the Logan House, in Altoona, by Rev. H. H. Breneman, Mr. WILLIAM H. HAFER, of Gettysburg, to Mrs. MARY E. GARDNER, of Harrisburg, formerly of York county, Adams county, Pa., but more latterly started on a trip to the West, and will be gone several weeks.

On the 22d inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. A. Reed, Mr. JACOB L. TOOT to Miss MARY C., only daughter of Henry Bentzer, both of Strabane township, this county.

On the 23d inst., at the Presbyterian parsonage, Gettysburg, by Rev. J. K. Dennison, Mr. HENRY BAYLY to Miss DELILAH R. SECKS, both of Fairfield.

On the 20th ult., by Rev. Jacob Sechler, Mr. AUGUSTUS J. MUMMERT to Miss HANNAH FICKES, both of Adams county.

Nov. 25th, by Rev. Dr. Huber, Mr. JOHN H. HOFFMAN to Miss CATHARINE DAVIS, both of Adams county.

On the same day, by the same, Mr. LEVI E. ADE, of Adams County, to Miss EMMA BUCHANAN, of York county.

Nov. 22d, by Rev. John Gantz, Mr. GEORGE H. KEMPER, of Hurney, Md., to Miss RACHEL A. MORRISON, of Adams county.

On the 15th inst., at Biltmore, by the Rev. Daniel Riegle, Mr. J. M. ZACHARIAS to Miss MILLIE A. SHULTZ, both of York Springs.

On the 13th ult., by Rev. D. M. Hinkenbotter, Mr. JOHN H. SHEFFER to Miss CATHERINE PETTIGS, both from near Centre Mills.

On the 24th ult., by the same, Mr. CONRAD WENNER, of Germany township, to Miss NANCY A. STARRY, of Hoffersburg.

Nov. 11th, by Rev. D. Schindler, Mr. JOHN S. SNOWBERGER to Miss JOSEPHA PFEFFER, both of Gettysburg.

Nov. 15, by Rev. D. Sell, Mr. WILLIAM NEILL, of York county, to Mrs. SUSAN ROSES, of this county.

DIED.

On Sunday evening, Mr. ISAAC B. HOUSER, proprietor of the "Washington House," in this place, aged 7 years, 7 months and 11 days. The remains were interred at Hanover, his native place of decedent, on Wednesday.

Nov. 15, Mr. LEVI LAGOTS, of Latimore township, aged 65 years 8 months & 10 days.

On the 20th ult., near his place, Mr. MARIA C. wife of Mr. Henry S. Forney, aged 40 years.

On Saturday last, in this place, DAVID, son of H. M. Will, Esq., aged 4 years 11 months and 25 days.

On the 7th of November, near Fairfield, CORA EDGAR, daughter of Mr. Jacob Schlosser, aged 1 month and 2 days.

Oct. 31, 1877, JOHN WILLIAM, infant son of Jacob and Mary C. Hoover, of Monaghan township, aged 1 year, 11 months and 17 days.

On Nov. 17, 1877, GRANT GATES, only son of Prof. C. W. Gates, principal of the Wilkinsburg, Ind., schools, near Pittsburg, this county, aged 12 years 7 months and 4 days.

On the 7th ult., in York Springs, SULA BRISCOE, youngest child of J. Lane Smith and Ida C. Worley, aged 2 years and 4 months.

Nov. 25th, near Littlestown, Mr. JOHN HAGNER, aged about 70 years.

Communicated.

On Sunday night, in this place, ELIZABETH ELLIOTT TROXEL, infant son of C. William and Mary L. Troxel, aged 8 months and 10 days.

"The lovely bud, so young and fair,
Called hence by early doom,
Just caught a glimpse of heaven and blest
In paradise would bloom."

Communicated.

On the 22d inst., of diphtheria, Mrs. CHRISTIANA HURRELL, wife of Samuel Hurrell, of Franklin township, aged 35 years 8 months and 15 days:

"Lonely the home and sad the hours
Since my dear wife is gone!
But, oh, a better home than ours,
In Heaven is now her own.

Farewell, farewell, my wife, so dear,
Life is sad without you here;
Oh may we meet in heaven above,
Where all is peace and joy and love.

I loved you, yes, no one can tell
How much I loved you and how well;
But loved you too and I thought least
To take you home with him to rest.

Administrators' Notice.

ADAM SMITH'S ESTATE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Adam Smith, late of Mount Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOSEPH S. SMITH, Nov. 2, 1877. 6t Administrators.

Holiday Presents

AT

PENROSE MYERS'S

JEWELRY STORE,

Baltimore Street,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

Dec. 7, 1877. 1m

Prof. DeLongevin's Farewell Concert,

GIVEN BY

DeLONGEVIN'S ORCHESTRA,

At Agricultural Hall,

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 18TH, 1877.

THE programme of the evening's entertainment will consist of the choicest selections of INSPIRITING DANCE MUSIC, songs, Choruses, Piano, Violin, Zither and Cornet solos, several pieces having been composed expressly for this occasion.

The concert will begin at 7.30 o'clock, P. M. Reserved seats 50 cts. Single admission 25 cents; children under 12 years, 15 cts. Tickets will be sold at the door. Reserved seats for sale at Bucher & Co., Chambersburg st. Dec. 7, 2t

Auditor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Adams county, to ascertain advancements made to Lewis Sigle—Executor, late of Hamiltonban township, deceased, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of said Executor among the distributees of said estate, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Gettysburg, on FRIDAY, the 28th day of DECEMBER, 1877, to discharge the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons interested may attend.

W. A. DUNCAN, Dec. 7, 1877. 3t Auditor.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 22d day of DECEMBER, 1877, the undersigned, intending to remove to Baltimore, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, on Baltimore street, opposite the "Compiler" Office, the following valuable personal property, viz:

1 MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, 3 Bureaus, one a dressing bureau, 1 Bedstead, 12 doz. one-seated Cushion Chairs, 1 doz. Common Chairs, Rocking Chair, Stools, Lounge, Extension Table, Cupboard, Tables and Stands, Brackets, Parlor Stove, Cook Stove, Brass Stair Rods, Stand, Carpet, Cook Stove No. 8, with Extract Sauce Pots, Air-tight Wood Stove, Kitchen Table, Heater, 25 yards Three-ply Carpet, 30 Yards Ingrain Carpet, 8 yards Stair Carpet, 20 Yards Hall Oil Cloth, 4 Oil Cloth Hearth Rugs, 2 Mirrors, 12 barrels Vinegar, Iron Kettle and Trammel, Washing and Boiling Kettle, 7 Gallon Kettle, Washer with Wringer, large Meat Hack, Tin-ware, Crockery, lot of Crocks and Jars, lot of Cans, Jars, 2 Stoves, 1 new Three-quarter Pen Wagon, set of Spring Carriage Harness, Sorrel Horse, 7 years old, and first-class in every respect, Bridles, 3 Sleighs, 3 Small Beds, 2 Horse Blankets, Square Forks, Shovels, large Feed Box, Cutting Box, Grain Cradle, Timothy Hay, ESTATE OF CHARLES SCHERS, DECEASED, consisting of 1 Horse Mountain-drag Sewing Machine, in good order, Bonnets, Dress Goods, Bonnets, Crinoline Hoops, Ladies' Hats and Shoes, Sacks and Dolmans, Ladies' Cloaks, Gents' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Tinware, large lot of Men's, Ladies', Boys' and Misses' Sacks and Dolmans, Ladies' Cloaks, Ladies' Hats and Shoes, Gents' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Tinware, large lot of Men's, Ladies', Boys' and Misses' Sacks and Dolmans, Ladies' Cloaks, Ladies' Hats and Shoes, Gents' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Tinware, CHOPPING KNIVES AND HANGING BOWLS, Quilts, Ladies' Hoodlums, Gentlemen's Scarfs, &c., &c.

The Sale of Books and Shoes will be commenced at the evening of October, 6 o'clock.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY TROUT, JACOB E. WITMOR, Nov. 30, 2w Executors.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 15th day of DECEMBER, 1877, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, the following valuable property, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in the town of East Berlin, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Jacob Bender, Ringer and others. On it is a large creek, and considerable water power, unimproved with a large two story BRICK HOTEL, with Saloon attached, a frame Stable, Implement Room, with Wagon Shed and Corn Crib attached, Carriage House, Hog pen and all other out-buildings. There is a good well of water at the house and some fruit. This property will be sold entire or divided into three lots.

At the same time and place will be offered A LOT OF GROUND, containing about one acre, near the above, fronting on King Street, and adjoining lands of Robert S. Lady, Peter Hoover and the Conewago creek. Sale to commence at 2 o'clock, P. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY KING. Nov. 23, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 8th day of DECEMBER, 1877, at 1 o'clock, P. M., I will sell at Public Sale, at the residence of JOHN DEAR, one-fourth of a mile west of Heidlersburg, Adams county, the following personal property, viz:

2 Horses, 1 two-year old Colt, 3 Cows, 1 Hog, 1 Threshing Machine, 1 Fodder Cutter, Wire-cloth Horse Rake, Threshing Machine, Binder, Horse Gearing, Harness, 2 Sleighs, Dung Box, Bellows, Anvil, Vise, Dry Goods Boxes, Brown Machine, Grain Cradle, Plowing and Harrow, Lot of Barrels, Lot of Sawed Posts, Lath and Boards; 1 Cook Stove and Fixtures, 1 Tom-plate Stove and Pipe, Sewing Machine, 1 Clothes Rocking Chair, Carpet, 2 Bedsteads and Bedding, 2 Corner Cupboards, Lot of Barrels, 5 Stands of Bees, a lot of Odds and all other personal property. Seized and taken in execution as the property of J. P. DEAR, A. M. DEAR and JOHN DEAR, and to be sold by

JOSEPH SPANGLER, Nov. 30, 1877. 4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 15th day of DECEMBER, 1877, in pursuance of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at 1 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following, to wit, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, 60 feet front by 180 feet deep, more or less, bounded on the west by lot of Isaiah Mickley, on the east by alley, on the north by lot of P. P. Bell, on the south by an alley, and fronting on Chambersburg street, on the same, the boundary of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., having thereon erected a Two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, large Frame Stable, well of water, and other improvements.

Also, A LOT OF GROUND, 20 feet front by 70 feet deep, more or less, adjoining lots of Ziegler & Holtzworth, Joseph White and others, in said borough, fronting on Water street, and having thereon erected an ICE HOUSE.

Seized and taken in execution as the real estate of FRANKLIN BUCKLEY.

—Also—

A TRACT OF LAND, situate in Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Augustus Mickley, Isaac Lower, Daniel Hamelbaugh, and others, containing 9 ACRES and 30 PERCHES, more or less, and being the same tract of land taken in execution as the real estate of DANIEL HAMELBAUGH.

JOSEPH SPANGLER, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Nov. 30, 1877.

POSTPONED SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

ON TUESDAY, the 11th day of DECEMBER, 1877, the subscribers, Executors of the will of Jacob Bender, late of Berwick township, Adams county, Pa., will sell at Public Sale, on the premises,

THE VALUABLE FARM of said decedent, situate in Berwick township, Adams county, Pa., one mile south of Hunterstown and one mile from Hoke's Station on the Gettysburg R. R., between the Hunterstown and Littlestown roads, adjoining lands of John G. Brickerhoff, John H. Gilbert, Jacob W. Coppersmith, Jacob Hauer, Myers and Major Robert Tell, containing 165 ACRES, more or less, with a large proportion of Woodland and Meadow. Wash Bank and is clear of stone and in good condition, having been well limed, and the improvements are good. The improvements consist of a Two-story BRICK HOUSE, large Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn Crib, all nearly new and in first-rate condition; also an out-kitchen, Smoke House, Carriage House, and Hog Pen, and all other necessary outbuildings. There are three excellent wells of water, two near the house and one near the barn, and a cistern close by the kitchen door. There is a thriving Apple orchard, besides other fruit—peaches, pears, cherries, &c. This is a desirable farm in one of the most desirable farms in Straban township, and is convenient to churches, schools and markets. Any person desiring to view the premises will please call on Wm. A. Young, who will show the premises and will be pleased to wait on any person who may call to inspect it, which can be done by calling on the Henry Trout, residing thereon.

At the same time and place will be offered A TRACT OF TIMBER LAND, situate in Franklin township, two miles west of Arendtsville, and half a mile south of Arendt's (formerly Bell's) mill. It is well covered with excellent timber.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY TROUT, JACOB E. WITMOR, Executors.

Nov. 30, 2w

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15th, 1877, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, Pa., will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises, the following described real estate, late the property of John Bender, viz:

A TRACT OF THREE-GLASS RED LAND, in Strabane township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Samuel Bender, Ringer and others. On it is a large creek, and considerable water power, unimproved with a large two story BRICK HOTEL, with Saloon attached, a frame Stable, Implement Room, with Wagon Shed and Corn Crib attached, Carriage House, Hog pen and all other out-buildings. There is a good well of water at the house and some fruit. This property will be sold entire or divided into three lots.

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JOSEPH SPANGLER, Nov. 30, 1877. 4t Sheriff.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF REAL ESTATE.

ON SATURDAY, the 22d day of DECEMBER, 1877, the undersigned, Assignee of JACOB MORITZ and WIFE, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, the following real estate, viz:

No. 1. A SMALL FARM, situate in Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., about 12 miles north of Gettysburg, adjoining lands of Ephraim Lady, Jacob Oyler's heirs and Nicholas Shultz, containing 37 ACRES, more or less. The improvements are a Two-story log WEATHERBOARDED DWELLING HOUSE, with Wagon Shed attached, Corn Crib, spring house, Wash House and other out-buildings. There is a good spring and a well of water at the house, and the fields all have water. There also two Apple Orchards in bearing condition. The land is productive and tolerably good. No. 2. A TRACT OF TIMBER LAND, containing 12 ACRES, situate in Franklin township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Peter Flury's heirs and the Highway, covered with young timber and fine for fencing.

No. 3. The undivided one-half of 24 ACRES of TIMBER LAND, situate in Franklin township, adjoining lands of Alex. Adams and others.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

SAMUEL HUGHES, Assignee.

Nov. 30, 4t

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JOSEPH SPANGLER, Nov. 30, 1877. 4t Sheriff.

PRIVATE SALE.

THE undersigned offers for PARM at Private Sale, the property now occupied by the Hope School House, at the head of the Hanover road, Union Mills, Hanover township, containing 98 ACRES, improved with a new Cellar, Smoke House, Log Barn,

Gettysburg Compiler.

FRIDAY, DEC. 7, 1877.

FARM AND HOUSE.

SHRINKAGE OF CORN.

We have more than once alluded to the fact that we think farmers who sell grain do not properly appreciate the loss by shrinkage while standing in the crib. In answer to the question of "How much does corn lessen in weight by keeping dry, when compared with its weight at time of husking?" the superintendent of the Experimental Farm answers as follows: "In the fall of 1870 Thomas M. Harvey put 100 pounds of sound corn (ears) in a latticed box to test its shrinkage. It was weighed and boxed November 18, quite ripe and dry. This was late for husking, you will notice. November 22 one box was shelled out and made 5 bushels 27¼ quarts by measure, or 322 pounds 6 ounces, and averaged 55¼ ounces to the bushel; cobs weighed 75 pounds 8¾ ounces, making the total loss 2 pounds 1½ ounces. The next box was shelled March 20, following, and made 5 bushels and 9 ounces, or 298 pounds 8 ounces, averaging 56 pounds 8½ ounces per bushel; the cobs weighed 51 pounds and 10 ounces, making a loss of 46 pounds 14 ounces, or 7¾ per cent. on the grain, and a loss of 11½ per cent. of corn and cobs. This result would have been quite different if the boxes had been filled with early-husked, large-cobbed corn. I have had larger ears that lost 50 per cent. from the time they were first husked till thoroughly dried." To this Mr. Shortridge, of Bellefonte, adds his own experience: "1875, November 13, put in crib 55 bushels, ears, weight, 1,976 pounds; 15th, do., weight, 1,950; 17th, do., weight, 1,970—35½ pounds per bushel when cribbed. August 3, 1876, it weighed out of crib, 31½ bushels, or 1,070 pounds, for each draft put in crib. Each bushel of ears now weighed 34½ pounds, making a loss in bulk 18.6 per cent., and in weight 22.6 per cent. He says this was a shorter and plumper grain than other Chester county varieties of corn, and would probably lose less than our large-cobbed varieties. In the above experiment the corn was not shelled."

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING PAYS BEST.—A certain amount of labor and expense is required to produce a certain crop or a given quantity of any thing.

A poor cow eats as much food as a good cow; the one with her scant yield of poor milk does not pay the cost of her keeping; the other one not only pays the cost of her feed during the year, but the full sum of her value besides, to her owner.

An acre of a poor variety of potatoes requires the same labor and attention as an acre of a superior variety; the quantity which the one produces pays scarcely the expense of cultivation, whilst the other proves a profitable crop.

A farmer cultivates a few acres in tobacco, but is careless, unfortunately, about the variety of seed he uses. Another cultivates the same acreage, but takes care to get the best known variety in the market. Both produce the same quantity. The one sells his crop at 8 cents a lb.; the other at 15 cents—a difference of not less than $200 in favor of the better variety of seed. A fine tobacco will always sell for a good price; a poor quality is often a drug at a low figure. Truly the best of everything, though it may cost a trifle more at first, to procure it, always pays best in the end.

EDIBLE FUNGI.—The London *Gardener* publishes sketches to aid the collector in determining what to gather among edible fungi and what to avoid. What are the infallible rules for distinguishing the true mushroom from all other fungi? The true mushroom (*Agaricus campestris*) is invariably found amongst grass in rich, open pastures, and never on or about stumps or in woods. Another point is the peculiar, intense purple-brown color of the spores (analogous to seeds) in the ripe and fully matured mushroom derives the intense purple-brown color (almost black) of its gills from the presence of these innumerable colored spores. It always grows in pastures; always has dark purple-brown spores; always has a perfect encircling clothy collar, and always gills which do not touch the stem and a top with an overlapping edge.—*Rural New Yorker.*

SAVE THE CELERY LEAVES.—The leaves and green tops of celery may be made useful after the following fashion. Most housekeepers throw them away. This is the better plan: Dry them thoroughly in the oven, then pulverize to a fine powder, and they make a very delicious seasoning for soup. The aroma and strength of the celery being remarkably preserved. After being pulverized, the powder should be kept in a jar or closed bottle to preserve the strength.

HOW TO CURE A SORE THROAT.—Let each one of your readers buy at any drug store one ounce of camphorated oil, and five cents worth of chlorate of potash. Whenever any soreness appears in the throat, put the potash in a half tumbler of water, and with it gargle the throat thoroughly, then rub the neck thoroughly with the camphorated oil at night before going to bed, and also pin around the throat a strip of woolen flannel. This is simple, cheap and a sure remedy.

VEAL LOAF.—Three pounds of veal cutlets. Pick out all the tough skin and chop it very fine. 5 rolled crackers, 1 cup sweet milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoonful of butter, 1 tablespoonful of salt, 1 tablespoonful of pepper. Mix all together thoroughly; form into a loaf, and bake three hours, basting often with hot water. Eat cold, sliced, for tea or lunch. Delightful.

A MONSTER CHEESE.—Canada claims to have produced the largest cheese on record. From the Ingersoll factory has been turned out a cheese weighing 7300 pounds. It was 6 feet 10 inches in diameter, and 21 feet in circumference. It required one milking of 7000 cows, or 35 tons of milk, to produce it.

PRUNE grape vines in the fall, especially Concords. We always lay down and cover our vines with dirt. If the winter does not kill, it takes half the vitality out of the vines, and the crop is not as large nor the grapes so fully developed as when there is more vigor.—*Iowa Register.*

LET US teach our children not only to do farm work and house work, but to do it well. Not only do it well, but to love and respect the work. In this way we educate their entire being—the hands, head, and heart.

FOR WHOOPING COUGH.—Two drinks vinegar oil, one-third syrup of ipecac.—Dose: Half a teaspoonful from two to six hours apart. Shake the mixture well before using. It is almost infallible.

VILLAGE SOCIETY IN WINTER.

First. As sewing clubs; the work should be carefully restricted to such embroidery, etc., as cannot be done by women who earn their living by their needle. The justice of this ought to be at once apparent; but it is, as a rule, overlooked. We have known plain sewing taken from the seamstresses of a village, and given to church clubs, for a winter; the consequence of which was, hungry women asking parish help, and a stained glass window back of the pulpit.

Secondly. In reading clubs, let the time for each reader be limited by inflexible rule. If this is not done, there will be found in every such club, as least one dogmatic, selfish reader who will force his author and his voice upon the club, until in disgust and weariness the members fall off and the experiment fails.

Thirdly. If we may trench upon a most delicate topic, we would suggest that in merely social combinations, for the purpose of music, dancing, or conversation, the old caste lines of the town be disregarded. There is no despotism more narrow or cruel than the aristocracy of a village. New blood and new ideas would generally revivify it; outside of the so-called "good society" of such a place which has been fenced in for two or three generations, is frequently found the larger proportion of intelligence, culture, and breadth of thought.

Fourthly. The great want experienced by cultured men and women in a small town is of books, periodicals, etc., which, individually, they are not able to buy. There are very few circulating libraries in American towns of a population less than ten thousand. This want can be obviated in a measure, by a friendly combination between certain families or individuals, in which each contributes a given number of books to a common stock; these books are loaned to the members in turn.

A more formal and much better way is the formation of a book club, such as were common in England before the establishment of Mudie, in which each member pays at the beginning a certain sum, with which as many books are purchased as there are members, each one choosing a book; these pass in regular rotation from hand to hand, remaining a fortnight with each reader; twenty books may thus be read for the cost of one. When the books have passed around the circle, they are sold to members for the benefit of the club. Fines for detention and abuse of books also keep up the funds. No officer is required in this association but a treasurer.—Another advantage in the plan is that books can be bought by the quantity at lower rates than singly. The same rule applies to subscriptions for magazines, newspapers, etc.—"*Home and Society*" *Scribner for Dec.*

WEIGHT AND FINENESS OF SILVER COINS.—The attention of the country is so conspicuously drawn to silver coins at the present time that everything in relation to them is found to be of interest. The following shows the weight and fineness of silver coins issued by the United States since the year 1792, when the first coinage law was enacted:

First—Under the law of 1792 the silver dollar weighed 416 grains, 892.4 fine; and all the parts of the same proportion. Weight of one thousand dollars' worth 8043 ounces.

Second—Under the law of January 18th, 1837, the silver dollar weighed 412½ grains, 900 fine, the parts in the same proportion. Weight of one thousand dollars' worth, 8029 ounces. This is the dollar which was demonetized in 1873.

Third—Under the law of March 3d, 1853, the half-dollar and smaller silver coins were reduced in weight, the half-dollars to 192 grains, and the "quarters," "dimes" and "half-dimes" in the same proportion. One thousand dollars' worth of these coins weighed 803⅓ ounces.

Fourth—Under the law of February 12th, 1873, the half dollar was raised in weight to 12 grammes (185.0 grains,) and smaller silver coins in proportion. One thousand dollars' worth of these coins weighed 802⅞ ounces. By the same law the "trade dollar" was authorized, to contain 421 grains, 900 fine. One thousand dollars' worth of these coins weigh 875 ounces.

AN EXPERIMENT FOR BOYS. Take two empty oyster cans and a stout smooth string. Let a small hole be made in the bottom of each can through which the string, say fifty or one hundred feet in length, is passed and secured. Then let the experimenters set up their talking telegraph by choosing their stations as far apart as the tightly stretched string will permit, and while one of the operators holds his ear to one of the cans and his companion his mouth to the can at the other end of the line, they will find that a conversation can be carried on so that low tones, and even a whisper, will be distinctly perceptible. What usually most astonishes those who make this experiment for the first time is that the sound of the voice does not seem to come from the person speaking at the other end of the string, but to issue from the can itself, which is held to the ear of the listener. This at first appears to be a deception, but it is really not so. The ear tells the exact truth. The voice that is heard really comes from the can that is held to the ear of the hearer.—The voice of the speaker communicates sound producing vibrations to the walls of the can with which his voice is in immediate contact. These vibrations are communicated to the string, but so changed that they no longer affect the ear. A person may stand by the string while the sound is passing, and yet hear nothing. At the other end of the string, however, these hidden vibrations reproduce themselves as sounds.

WHAT A PARADISE!—The American minister at the Hague has forwarded to our state department some interesting statistics on the social and political condition of Holland. As an illustration of the carefulness and steadiness of the Dutch he says that there has not been a bank failure in Holland during the last forty years and that the paper money of the bank during that time has been equal to gold. There is no such thing as the failure of a fire insurance company on record, and while the rate of insurance does not average more than a half of one per cent., the companies are in the most flourishing condition, realizing 12 to 15 per cent. per annum.—First-class railroad travel is only one cent per mile, and yet the roads pay good dividends. Pilfering officials are scarcely ever heard of, and when they shock the nation by turning up they are severely punished and forever disgraced.

EVIL TONGUE.—The cure of an evil tongue must begin at the heart. The weights and wheels are there, and the clock strikes according to their motion. A golleful heart makes a guileful tongue and lips. It is the workhouse where the forge of deceits and slanders is, and the tongue is only the outer shop where they are vended, and the lips the door of it. Such ware is made within, and no other can come out.

A VIRGINIA boy died after eating a pint of raw chestnuts.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ON account of the general depression to trade all over the country and a want of facilities to invest safely the funds that we now have, we are compelled to call in all special certificates that have run twelve months, and all certificates as the twelve months expire to be presented for payment or renewal at three per cent. for over six months. All certificates not presented will be considered renewed at this rate.

J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier.

June 28, 1877. tf

GETTYSBURG

Chartered in the year 1814: Reorganized under the National Banking law in 1865.

NATIONAL

Capital $145,150.

BANK.

Total net earnings as National Bank, $281,673 21
" dividends, " " $235,000 00
Rates Dividend 50 per cent. declared Jan. 1877.

$872,575 00.

PAYS INTEREST

ANNUAL DIVIDENDS

OF

12 PER CENT.

Declared for the past Eight Years.

ON DEPOSITS

All accounts strictly private and confidential.

WITHOUT

PRESIDENT

GEORGE SWOPE.

CASHIER,

J. EMORY BAIR.

DIRECTORS

DAVID WILLS, Gettysburg.
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Hon. WM. McSHERRY, Littlestown.
LEWIS M. MOTTER, Emmitsburg.
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JACOB RESSER, East Berlin.

Mar. 30, 1877. tf

NOTICE.

REPORT

OF the condition of the GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK, at the close of business, oct. 1, 1877.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$189,251 10
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation	145,000 00
Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages	54,454 00
Due from approved Reserve Agents	20,878 16
Due from other National Banks	7,822 07
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,000 05
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	7,000 00
Current expenses and Taxes paid	1,508 11
Checks and other cash items	2,127 10
Bills of other National Banks	1,540 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels)	87 05
Specie, including gold Treasury notes	580 00
Legal Tender Notes	17,100 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	6,525 00
	$654,905 11

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$145,150 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Other undivided profits	52,762 45
National Bank notes outstanding	130,240 00
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Dividends unpaid	1,042 00
Individual Deposits	199,904 26
Demand certificates of deposit	109,968 17
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STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, County of Adams, ss:

I, J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier of the Gettysburg National Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Oct., 1877. J. AUGHINBAUGH, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
GEORGE SWOPE,
D. KENDLEHART,
DAVID WILLS. } Directors.

KEYSTONE HOTEL,

CHAMBERSBURG ST., GETTYSBURG, PA.

Frank. Mickley, Prop't.

THE undersigned has purchased the Keystone Hotel, on Chambersburg street, half a square from the Diamond, in Gettysburg, Pa., and intends to keep it in the best style for the accommodation of the social and travelling public. He promises entire satisfaction to all who may patronize him. The table will always have the best of the market, and the bar the best of liquors; the stables will be found large, clean and inviting.

In addition, in case of an active business, he has hired in the hotel, and in first-class style—hopes to be surprised by seeing, Mickley still always have the best of the seasons, and the best home brewed liquors. Ample stabling attached, with an attentive hostler.

Charges moderate. The undersigned believes himself that with his long experience in the hotel business and close attention to guests, all guests at the Central will be more than satisfied with the treatment, fare and bills.

April 5, 1877. tf JACOB KLUNK.

EAGLE HOTEL,

Gettysburg, Pa.

GEO. HOPPES, Prop'r.

THIS well known House, the largest and most commodious in Gettysburg, corner of Chambersburg and Washington streets, has been

THOROUGHLY REPAIRED

re-papered, re-painted, supplied throughout with

New Furniture

and furnished with everything requisite for a first-class hotel.

SUMMER BOARDERS accommodated on reasonable terms. Omnibus runs to depot on arrival and departure of trains, free of charge.

No pains or expense to engage in supplying owners of the hotel from town and country.

Abundant Stabling attractive Hostlers, first-class Bar—and Livery adjoining the hotel.

July 29, 1875. tf

COOK AND PARLOR

STOVES.

OF ALL KINDS.

The latest and most approved styles.

TIN, SHEET-IRON AND

HOLLOW WARE

OF ALL KINDS.

COAL AND LUMBER

OF ALL KINDS.

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CHOICE WORK—LOW PRICES!

CALL AT

WM. N. MILLER'S

MARBLE WORKS,

Directly Opposite the Court-house.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

April 13, 1876. tf

PAINTING!

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that he is prepared to do

House & Sign Painting,

GLAZING &c.,

WITH

GRAINING

neatly and promptly. He has had a long experience in the business, and trusts that he can work cheaper than any other person who does good work. He asks a share of patronage. His prices are moderate, and cannot fail to please.

Residence on "the HILL" in Baltimore Street.

GEORGE J. FREY.

Gettysburg, April 8, 1877. tf

C. H. BUEHLER'S

Ware Rooms,

CORNER OF CARLISLE & RAILROAD STREETS,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

CALL AND EXAMINE!

January 18, 1877. tf

Remember the Dead!

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VALUABLE PROPERTY

AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber offers at Private Sale, the property lately occupied by him, on Chambersburg street, next West street, Gettysburg, A LARGE LOT OF GROUND, improved with a Two-story Log Weatherboarded HOUSE, Back-building, and all necessary out-buildings, a well of good water at the door, and a variety of Fruit Trees.

The above is offered at Private Sale until sold, when the property will be sold at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on the last Saturday of December, instead of the 1st January, as previously advertised.

Sept. 22, 1877. tf DAVID STEINER.

D. MCCREARY. JOHN F. MCCREARY

"Best Always Cheapest."

THE Best and Cheapest!

SADDLES,

BRIDLES,

COLLARS, and

HARNESS, of all kinds, in the county are always on hand at the old and well known stand, Baltimore street, opposite the Presbyterian Church.

McCREARY'S.

OUR HUNTING AND PACK SADDLES are the most substantially built and neatest in use. Our HARNESS (*plain and silver mounted*) are complete, heavy and expensive, and warranted to be of the very best materials and workmanship.

OUR UPPER-LEATHER, HEAD-STALLS, COLLARS, CANNOT BE BEAT. They are the best FITTING and most durable.

OUR HEAVY DRAFT HARNESS are made to order, as cheap as they can be made anywhere, and in the most substantial manner.

OUR BRIDLES, WHIPS, Lashes, Draft Halters, Fly-nets, and everything in our line, *You better be cheaper.*

OUR PRICES have been REDUCED to the lowest living Standard.

A liberal percentage to cash, or all bills amounting to $20 or more.

We work nothing but the best stock and will warrant every article turned out to be in every respect as represented.

Thankful for past favors, we invite attention to our present attempt.

Our Prices and Work are the PRICE AND QUALITY. McCREARY & SON.

June 30, 1876. tf

ADAMS COUNTY

Mutual Fire Insurance Company

INCORPORATED MARCH 1st, 1851.

OFFICERS,

President—George Swope.
Vice President—Sabine R. Russell.
Secretary—D. A. Buehler.
Treasurer—P. G. Palmerstock.
Executive Committee—Robert McCurdy, H. A. Picking, Jacob King.

Managers—George Swope, D. A. Buehler, McCurdy, S. R. Russell, P. G. Palmerstock, Gettysburg; Jacob King, Strahan township; Samuel Meals, Hunterstown; H. A. Picking, Straban; A. W. Storm, East Berlin; Wm. Rose, Wills; Albert H. G. Peters, York Springs.

The Company has limited its operations to the County of Adams. It does business on a cash plan. Has been in operation for more than 21 years, and in that period has made but one assessment, laying the policyholders for the loss that year amounting to over $12,000. Any person desiring Insurance can apply to the Directors or any of the agents.

The Executive Committee meet at the office of the Company, on the first Monday in every month at o'clock P. M.

Jan. 26, 1875. tf

INVALIDS,

Don't Despair!

Thousands have found relief, and thousands will turn to this Medicine, all suffering their persons and patience in search of health; conditions of the head, dullness of the mind, fetid breath, coated tongue, loss of appetite, pains and weakness in the stomach, enlargement of the liver, yellowness of the skin, constant fever and chills, with a total disorder of business, pleasure, and of any kind of employment. FAHRNEY'S PANACEA, known and prescribed for a few days, will remove this whole class of symptoms. The chills of the body become pure, and mind clear. The stomach is invigorated, the tongue clean, the appetite increased, and the whole system benefitted. That disease, in bad weather, is less inclined to affect you.

Dr. P. FAHRNEY'S

Celebrated

Blood Cleanser or Panacea.

As a medicine for children, the Panacea is proving a well established fact, that the medicinal variety of drugs which are admirably suited for that purpose, and which are offering every inducements. A medicine which possesses the qualities of a cathartic is not a mild alterative, and which is capable of producing a healthy action of the sensitive organs of the child, is a valuable claim to every mother. As a cathartic it is very effective, yet it does not act in improper quantities, cause unused or distress to the stomach, which is very pleasant to the taste, which is a most important qualification in a medicine for children. As a preventive of disease it is unprecedented, as it acts directly upon the diseased condition of the blood. In all scrofulous diseases, it is the most effective medicine ever offered to the public, and it is even regularly and perseveringly, those stubborn diseases so common to children may be entirely eradicated.

Prepared by P. Fahrney & Son, Chicago, Ill., and Dr. P. FAHRNEY, Gettysburg, Pa., and for sale by druggists generally. Wholesale and retail dealers and by A. H. RIDDLE and J. M. HUBER, Gettysburg.

Oct. 15, 1875. tf

New Grocery

STORE

IN the room formerly occupied by Henry McDonald, in CHAMBERSBURG STREET, GETTYSBURG, PA., will be found a large assortment of goods, such as SUGARS, COFFEES, TEAS, Syrups, Molasses, and Spices of all kinds; SOAPS, Soaps, Brooms, Buckets, Cracker and Stone-ware, Dishes, China and Glass-ware, Hams, Shoulders, Sides and Lard; FRESH BUTTER, Eggs, Potatoes, FLOUR AND FEED, &c.; Canned Fruit, such as peaches, tomatoes, cherries, blackberries and raspberries; DRIED FRUIT, pears, apples and blackberries; Dried Corn, Rice and Beans; SALT FISH, such as Cod, Herring generally kept in a first-class store. Which I will sell at the lowest living rates. Give him a call and judge for yourselves.

DAVID STERNER.

☞ Produce taken in exchange for Groceries.

I also wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that I am still carrying on the

FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP,

and manufacture various kinds of MACHINES, Threshers, Reapers, Cornshellers, Cross-cut saws, Horse rakes, Plough of different kinds and sizes, all kinds of CASTINGS made to order. Also now TENPLATE STOVES and wooden Ware Pumps and Cook Stoves, Iron Kettles and Pots, are REPAIRING done on Blacksmithing generally.

Gettysburg Foundry, Adams co., Pa.

April 14, 1876. tf

BUGGIES-CARRIAGES.

THE undersigned informs his friends and the public generally, that he continues to make

Falling-Top, Standing-Top, and Trotting BUGGIES,

CARRIAGES, JAGGERS, &c.,

of different styles—all of No. 1 material and workmanship. No extra expense to save in making work tasteful and durable—always up with the times, and satisfactory in prices and workmanship. Finished work on hand, and orders solicited.

Repairing

attended to promptly and in the best manner.

Establishment in East Middle St., Gettysburg, formerly occupied as half of the Carriage house. Call and see for yourselves.

April 17, 1875. tf JACOB TROXEL.

JOHN A. LUSK,

Horse Trainer.

THE undersigned, having secured the AGRICULTURAL HALL in the Borough of GETTYSBURG, for the coming season, is prepared to

TAKE HORSES TO TRAIN.

The track is half a mile and unsurpassed. THE BREAKING AND TRAINING OF COLTS A SPECIALTY. Horses taken to Winter at moderate rates. Terms reasonable. All orders addressed to the undersigned will be promptly attended to. Refers to the Agricultural Society. Address

JOHN A. LUSK,

April 19, 1876. tf Gettysburg, Pa.

LEATHER & FINDINGS.

THE undersigned continues to sell SOLE LEATHER, Harness, Upper, Kip, Calf Skins, Morocco, Sheep Skins, Linings, &c., with all the FINDINGS used by boot and shoe makers, at the smallest profits.

Store at the old place, on Baltimore street nearly opposite the POST OFFICE, Gettysburg, Pa.

April 14, 1875. tf H. J. BRINKERHOFF.

JOHN G. BRINKERHOFF,

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

OFFICE in Prothonotary's office, Gettysburg, and will attend there the FIRST SATURDAY in every month. Also attends to writing Deeds, Wills, Agreements, Plots of towns, additions, *Instructions, Surveying, &c.*

Jan. 5, 1877.

Charles G. Miller,

AUCTIONEER,

RESIDING in Mount Pleasant township in Adams county—Post Office *Granite Hill*—offers his services to the public. Rent on personal property sales called. Charges moderate, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Dec. 8, 1876.

Sale Crying.

A. SALE CRYING, and solicits the continued patronage of the public. It shall constant endeavor to give satisfaction. Charges moderate. Residence in West Middle street, Gettysburg.

Nov. 12, 1872. tf

DON'T FORGET

THAT

JOSEPH JACOBS

MAKES IT A RULE TO

SELL CHEAP!

CALL in at his Merchant Tailoring establishment, Baltimore street, near the Diamond, Gettysburg, and be convinced.

His stock is unusually large and varied this season, and satisfied that he can please any taste, he invites the whole public to make an inspection of goods and prices.

Tailoring continued as heretofore, and goods bought at this store entitle to change.

April 19, 1876. tf

LOOK HERE!

Manock & Hollebaugh

CONTINUE business as Stamton street, Gettysburg, and are prepared to build wooden, and will keep on hand,

BUGGIES,

FALLING TOPS AND NO TOPS;

CARRIAGES, JAGGERS,

and everything else in their line—all of the best workmanship and first-class materials. Their long experience in the business is a guarantee of satisfaction to the purchaser.

Blacksmithing in General

is also carried on by them, and REPAIRING done promptly and at lowest rates. Country produce taken in pay for work. They ask the public to give them a call.

JOSEPH MANOCK,
B. G. HOLLEBAUGH.

Sept. 21, 1876. tf

HO! FOR

DUBOIS CITY, PA.!

THE undersigned respectfully call the attention of their old friends and acquaintances in portions of the counties of Adams and York counties in general, to the fact that they are prepared to furnish

ALL KINDS OF

LUMBER,

LATH, PICKETS, &c.

Bill Timber and Shingles

a specialty, at low rates, and short notice. Mill at Dubois city, Pa., (the great lumber center), where we can be found. Orders represented by Messrs. SHICK HOUSE & SHEADS, Any thing not in the yard will be supplied direct from the mill.

J. D. SHAFFER & CO.

Dubois City, Clearfield county, Pa.

Dec. 14, 1877. 6m

A GREAT DISCOVERY FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE HAIR.

GLENN'S

SULPHUR SOAP,

As a remedy for DISEASES, SORES, ABRASIONS, and ROUGHNESS OF THE SKIN; as a *deodorizer, disinfectant,* and means of preventing and curing Rheumatism and Gout, and as ADJUNCT OF THE TOILET and BATH, GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP unquestionably the best article offered to the American public.

The COMPLAINTS it cures range from PIMPLES, BLOTCHES, FLESH WORMS, and all other blemishes, to those, but inspires a THOROUGH AND VELVETY SOFTNESS through the chirping and medicated action of this WHOLESOME BEAUTIFIER.

The contraction of chronic diseases is prevented, and the complete disinfection of clothing worn by persons afflicted with contagious maladies is insured by it. FACTICIANS and TRADERS provided with this admirable amulet HAVE AT HAND THE MAIN ESSENTIAL OF A CLASS OF Sulphur Baths. Dandruff is removed, the hair retained, and grayness retarded by it.

MEDICAL MEN ADVOCATE ITS USE.

PRICES, 25 AND 50 CENTS PER CAKE, PER BOX, (3 CAKES,) 60c. and $1.20.

P.S. There is economy in buying the large cakes.

"HILP'S Hair and Whisker Dye," Black or Brown, 50 Cents.

C. N. CRITTENTON, Prop'r, 7 Sixth Av. N.Y.

Dec. 7, 1876. 1y

AYER'S Cathartic Pills,

For the relief and cure of all derangements of the stomach, liver, and bowels. They are a mild aperient, and an excellent purgative. Being purely vegetable, they contain no mercury or mineral poison whatever. Much the greater part of the medicines we have been in the habit of taking, may, and every family should have them on hand for their promotion and preservation of health, when required. Long experience has proved them to be the safest, surest, and best of all the pills with which the market abounds. By their accustomed use, the health is sustained, the corruptions of the system expelled, obstructions removed, and the whole machinery of life restored to healthy activity. Internal organs which become clogged and sluggish are cleansed by *Ayer's Pills*, and stimulated into action. Thus indolent disease is changed into health, the vassals of which change, when reckoned on the roll of multitudes who enjoy it, can hardly be enumerated. Their sugar-coating makes them pleasant to take, and renders their virtues unimpaired for any length of time, so that there are ever fresh, and perfectly reliable. Although searching, they are mild, and operate without disturbance to the constitution or diet or occupation.

Full directions are given on the wrapper to each box, how to use them as a Family Physic, and for the following complaints, which these *Pills* rapidly cure:—

For **Dyspepsia**, or **Indigestion**, **Listlessness**, **Languor**, and **Loss of Appetite**, they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach, and restore its healthy tone and action.

For **Liver Complaint** and its various symptoms, **Bilious Headache**, **Sick Headache**, **Jaundice** or **Green Sickness**, **Bilious Colic** and **Bilious Fevers**, they should be judiciously taken for each case, to correct the disordered action, or remove the obstructions which cause it.

For **Dysentery** or **Diarrhœa**, but one mild dose is generally required.

For **Rheumatism**, **Gout**, **Gravel**, **Palpitation of the Heart**, **Pain in the Side**, **Back**, and **Loins**, they should be continuously taken, as required, to change the diseased action of the system. With such change these complaints disappear.

For **Dropsy** and **Dropical Swellings**, they should be taken in large and frequent doses to produce the desired effect by a drastic purge.

For **Suppression**, a large dose should be taken, as it produces the desired effect by sympathy.

As a *Gentle Purge*, take one or two *Pills* to promote digestion, and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose eliminates the stomach and bowels, renders the digestive apparatus vigorous. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Practical Chemists, *LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.*

FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS IN MEDICINE.

Feb. 11, 1876. 1

St. Joseph's Academy for Young Ladies,

MESHERRYSTOWN, ADAMS COUNTY, PA.

Under the Direction of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

The Scholastic Year commences on the first Monday of September, and ends about the middle of July ensuing.

Address for particulars,

ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY,
Mesherrystown, Adams co., Pa.

Oct. 6, 1877. 1y

FASHIONABLE DRESS-MAKING

Mrs. Ziegler

IS prepared to MAKE DRESSES at short notice, and will also furnish the latest patterns at reasonable prices. Also French Stamping, Braiding and Embroidering. Pillow Shams, Scarfs, Sets for Sacks, Slippers, Braids, all handsome patterns. Everything done at reasonable rates.

Gettysburg, Nov. 3, 1875. tf

Hall in New Oxford.

THE undersigned has erected, in NEW OXFORD, Adams county, Pa., a commodious and comfortable HALL, for the accommodation of CONCERTS, EXHIBITIONS, COTILLION PARTIES, &c., on terms which will be found reasonable. Apply to or address

J. H. WIRT,

New Oxford, Adams county, Pa.

Feb. 16, 1877. tf

Charles F. Dorsey,

AUCTIONEER,

EAGLE HOTEL,

New Oxford, Pa.

Now

Western Lands.

I HAVE some valuable WESTERN LAND which I will trade for one or more FARMS in this county. The lands are well located, are very valuable for farming. Enquire of the undersigned.

J. H. BRINKERHOFF.

Gettysburg, April 8, 1865.

First National

BANK

OF

GETTYSBURG.

PRESIDENT

GEO. THRONE.

CASHIER

ROBERT BELL.

DIRECTORS,

JOHN WOLFORD, York Springs.
GEORGE THRONE, Franklin.
ROBERT BELL, Straban.
PETER DIEHL, New Oxford.
ALEX. STANLEY, Gettysburg.
DANIEL GILBERT, Gettysburg.
SAMUEL KOSER, Gettysburg.

Pays Special Deposits

ON CALL,

Without Notice,

and continues to pay its usual

Rates of Interest.

ACCORDING TO THE RULE IN

6 to 12 months, 3 per cent.

12 months, 4 per cent.

and pays interest for any length of time it may be left in.

Always keeps its funds at home for the accommodation of its customers, and especially its

DEPOSITORS.

Has Correspondents in all the large cities, and all the advantages that may lead one to favor in making

COLLECTIONS,

both at home and abroad.

In Buying and Selling

ALL MARKETABLE

SECURITIES

AT THE MARKET PRICES,

Buys Gold and Silver,

Coupons, &c., &c.,

and does all business pertaining to a regularly organized Bank.

The business of this Bank has gradually been on the increase ever since its organization, and hopes from a judicious and economical management of its affairs to continue to merit the confidence and patronage of the people

ROBERT BELL,

CASHIER.

Gettysburg, Sept. 11, 1871. tf

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$191,211 51
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	20,833 33
Due from approved reserve agents	3,204 41
Due from other National Banks	28,6 [illegible]
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,275 72
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	2,500 00
Current expenses and Taxes paid	1,559 09
Checks and other cash items	1,[illegible]
Bills of other National Banks	1,068 00
Specie, (including gold Treasury certificates)	875 25
Legal Tender Notes	12,675 00
Redemption Fund with the U. S. Treas. (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,500 00
Total	$[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus Fund	12,000 00
Other undivided profits	11,112 28
National Bank notes outstanding	69,000 00
Dividends unpaid	400 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1[illegible]
Demand certificates of deposit	124,[illegible]
Due to other National Ban